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Mr. Manabu Tagomori, Deputy Director
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Commission on Water Resource Management
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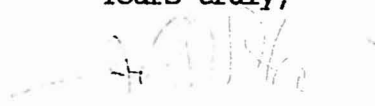
Application for a Stream Channel Alteration Permit
Kawainui Marsh, Kailua, Oahu; TMK: 4-2-16:1

Dear Mr. Tagomori,

We note that the Final EIS for this project states that all activities will be coordinated with and closely monitored by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service "in order to optimize improvements to waterbird habitat and minimize negative impacts on nesting wildfowl. Monitoring during the construction phase of the project will include water level changes, waterbird activities, water quality, noise levels, seismic effects, vegetation pattern changes, and archaeological oversight." Assuming that these measures will be in effect, we have no substantive comments to add.

Thank you for allowing us this opportunity to provide input at the initial stage of this project.

Yours truly,


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Environmental Coordinator

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